

GAR photograph of William Murrell, Civil War veteran



Grand Army of the Republic (GAR) photograph of William Murrell, Council of Administration. The GAR was a large multi-faceted organization (fraternal lodge, charitable society, special interest lobby, patriotic group, and political club) founded in 1866 by Union Army Surgeon Benjamin Franklin Stephenson. The organization was originally envisioned as a brotherhood of veterans who were dedicated to helping other veterans.;Murrell, born in France, was one of many black veterans who served as members and officers in GAR posts.

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